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DAILY AVERAGE, 2114. The average for last July was 1700.

This is an increase of 400 copies. Personally appeared before me this

day E. J. Paxton, general manager of The Sun, who affirms that the above statement of the circulation of The Sun for the month of July, 1903, is true to the best of his knowledge and belief. PETER PURYEAR,

Notary Public McCracken County. Aug. 3, 1903.

REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

For governor-Col. Morris B. Belknap of Louisville. For lieutenapt governor-J. B. Wil-

hoit of Boyd county. For treasurer-John A. Black of

Barbourville. For auditor-George W. Welsh of

For attorney general-Judge W. M. Beckner of Winchester.

For secretary of state-J. C. Speight of Graves county.

For superintendent of schools-Livingston McCartney of Henderson.

For commissioners of agriculture-For clerk of court of appeals-J. A. Newman of Monroe county.

COUNTY.

For representative-Earl M. Hazen, Paducah.

DAILY THOUGHT.

A consciousness of being in the right arms a man for any undertak-

THE WEATHER.

Fair tonight and Wednesday.

VARIETIES OF JUSTICE.

Kentucky justice seems to be very unevenly and unfairly distributed. Not long since two boys were hanged for shooting a law-abiding citizen whose home they had invaded for the purpose of robbery. It was murder, but it was not premeditated, and was the act of young and inexperienced, tho' desperate beings who realized that they were in danger of injury or capture. Still, they deserved hanging under the law.

A few days ago two men of Breathitt county, old and experienced in crime, who shot a law abiding citizen in the head when his back was turned, and after they had deliberately planned his death and followed him around for several days, were sentenced to life imprisonment, and despite the heinous crime they committed, few people in the state believe that they will ever serve sentences for it.

It was not long since that Mack Howard, who killed twelve men and didn't deny it, was pardoned in Kentucky. The opinion of the outside world is no doubt voiced by the Memphis News, in the following comment on the Mack Howard pardon:

"Is Governor Beckham pardoned Messuan knowing his reputation Frank Davet, his garments are not left today fortains of the blood of 12 main the baland erez, whitewas shot is desk in school

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a certainty that no one is sent to the by any possibility be considered innocent. It is this abuse of the pardouing power that is responsible for much of crime so rampant in this country. not only in Kentucky, but elsewhere. The governors of states are as much responsible for the contempt of the law as weak judges and cowardly and venal juries. "Two boys yet in their teens, who

had been subejeted to bad influences while their minds were young and plastic, and whose lives had been evil, were hanged in Lexington yesterday for the murder of a man whose house they were burglarizing. The governor refused to pardon them or commute their sentences. He is not to be criticized for such refusal, but he is to be criticized for pardoning so many murderers and violators of the law. No white man of any influence is hanged in Kentucky, and seldom is such a man punished, no matter what his crime. The courts are slow to convict and when a conviction is obtained punishment is delayed through appeals and reversals, while as a last resort pressure is brought to bear on SAYS HE WENT IN FOR AN ELECthe pardoning power, with the result that justice is often defeated. There ere not enough hangings in Kentucky."

GET GOOD MATERIAL.

and aldermanic boards selected Gales- would probably do it again, states that wife, John Ochlschlaeger, Sr., and burg, Ill., brick for the street paving Mr. Lovett was not willing to abide by wife, John Ochlschlaeger, Jr., George that is to be done here, and last night the result of the primary, as the Katterjohn and wife. William Brainthey selected Evansville brick, a stuffing of the ballot boxes by some erd and wife, W. Mickkelson, L. A. cheaper and inferior article. These one shows. That he, Mr. Taylor, Miller, Will Cochren and wife, S. boards decided a few days ago while went into the primary to abide by the H. Winstead, H. F. Lyon, Charles considering the matter that the city action of the Democatic party and Graham and wife, C. C. Lee, Phil was able to pay the difference in price not by the action of ballot box thieves. Abbott, Harry Carter, Melvin Wallerbetween the Galesburg and Evansville He said he would abide by the result stein, C. E. Gridley and wife, Will brick, and last night, judging from of any election fairly conducted. their action, they decided that it was not. The Galesburg brick and Evansville brick, together with other brick, were subjected to the same test, and Galesburg brick was first, while Evansville brick came fifth. The boards last night thus selected a material much inferior to what was procurable, dressed man died in the hospital today wife, John Davis and wife, Morris and it would be interesting to know why this was done.

There seems to be a strong public The city is able to pay the difference affair and not the public's." in the cost of the brick, and should do it. The argument that the difference in quality and durability do not jus-George Baker of Muhlenberg county. tity the difference in cost, is a contention that cannot be substantiated, because no one in the boards is able to determine the relative difference. The Evansville brick stood comparatively a poor test, and its price is considerably below that of the Galesburg to suppose that it is not as good brick as the other, and if it is not Paducah should refuse to use it.

> The boards have dawdled along with for her departed husband this paved street contract long enough. should bear this inscription: The public is disgusted at the display of incompetency. They have opened bids four times for the streets and frailties of the human heart, he took sidewalks, and it is time to do something. Get good brick or none at all.

The result of putting in inferior brick can now be seen along that portion of Broadway that has been paved. Many of the bricks are chipped off and broken. The people are footing the bill in this street improvement and want good material and good work-

Louisville is learning a lesson in civic pride, but it seems to be a hard one. Boxes have been placed along the streets all over the business part of town as receptacles of trash, paper and such things, but the people haven't time to use them. Thus far the boxes have been only ornaments, and the papers are bitterly complaining about it. One declares: "Blazoned with advertisement, the waste paper boxes on the street corners stand undisturbed, a monument to a fruitless effort to arouse sufficient civic pride to produce a clean city. The sidewalks and gutters in the immediate neighborhood are covered with scraps of newspapers, banana peelings. rags and trash of all kinds, while the sheet iron receptacles remain empty."

The Georgia penitentiary warden who flogged a female prisoner has re-

QUICKERELIEF HEADACHE POWDER TH'S DRUG STORE

to pardon any cut-throat who may signed, not because he exceeded his happen to be sent to the penitentiary authority but because the notoriety he from that hell hole of crime in the brought upon himself destroyed his mountains of Kentucky. Considering usefulness to the state. It makes no the danger and difficulty of securing a difference whether he did his duty or conviction of any ciminal there, it is not or whether or not he exceeded his authority, few people anywhere will penitentiary from Breathitt who could stand for such brutal treatment of women, and the man who is guilty of it will soon find it out. The prison All Comfortably Fixed-Train Went commission whitewashed the warden in the official report, but it can't whitewash him in the minds of the people for binding a helpless and friendless woman, no matter who she is, and strapping her on the bare flesh until the blood flowed and she lost

> Louisville's automobile race Saturment. The people were theroughly and the usual large crowd went from disgusted and the automobile racers Paducah. There were eight coaches, seeing the sentiment that prevailed, a baggage car and diner, enough to had to get mad themselves to even comfortably seat everybody, and the things up. They say in an interview train went over the new Cairo dithat the dissatisfaction was due vision to Cairo leaving at 9 a. m., and denizens of the metropolis to properly appreciate auto racing, and that they would never race before such" yokels" again. The "yokels" agree perfectly Sixth and Campbell. with them on the latter proposition.

### ATTORNEY TAYLOR'S COME BACK

TION, NOT A BURGLARY.

Attorney L. K. Taylor, in regard Ed D. Thurman, Ed Woolfolk, C. P. to Attorney John G. Lovett's refusal Thompson, M. Solomon, James Balto run the race for commonwealth's lowe, Charles Ellis, A. B. Yates, Alex attorney over again, on the plea that Venters, Lloyc Rogers, Flavius Walt-A short time ago the councilmanic Attorney Taylor had bolted once and ers, Roy Walters, Jessie Gilbert and

## WHO IS IT?

A WELL DRESSED MAN TAKES POISON BOUGHT HERE.

from strychnine taken last night. He Klein, Herbert Harris, Jake Kortz, arrived here from Chicago. He had Lawrence Dallam, Clarence Chamblin, in a value six bottles of different Gordon Head, C. W. Center, J. A. sentiment that while the streets are kinds of poison, each bottle bearing Murray, C. J. Dossett, Oscar T. Elbeing paved, the material used should label of a Paducah,, Ky., druggist. more and wife, J. W. Sellars, wife and be the best. This is due the taxpay- Identity unknown. Before death he daughter, G. W. Edwards, Henry ers as well as the property owners. said: "I was tired of living. It is my Robinson, Carl Leigh, A. J. Decker

SORROW ENOUGH FOR TWO.

Knew His Business. "That a man may be an artist in any profession, no matter how lowwas brought to my attention in an amusing manner last summer when I was visiting a little country town in England," said the Tourist Girl.

There was a stonecutter in the town whose reputation was and other brick, hence it is reasonable among the people as a designer of tombetones and a writer of appropriate epitaphs to put upon the stones. One day a disconsolate widow came to him with a request for a headstone

"'My sorrow is Greater Than

Being a wise man, aware of the care to leave space on the stone so that more could be added at any time.

"A year later the widow made him another visit. She was about to remarry, and wanted him to efface the inscription on the stone and write a more fitting one.

"No need for that, ma'am," was the reply. 'I allays looks to contingencies when there's widders left. All that's wanted to that inscription is just one word put at the end of the others, in the space left there."

"And the revised epitaph read as

"My Sorrow is Greater Than I Can Bear Alone."

DEAFNESS NOT ALWAYS BAD.

Edison Does Not Look Upon It as an Affliction.

That Thomas A. Edison is deaf is a fact well known to the public. Only intimate friends, however, are ware that in his case deafness is more a psychological phenomenon than a physical condition. That which interests him he can usually hear very

well, but to that which does not interest him he can be as deaf as the proverbial adder. Not long ago a specialist in diseases of the ear called upon Mr. Edison and unfolded a plan of treatment which he was sure would restore his hearing.

The inventor listened to his story with

patience, as it was informative on several points. To the proposition that he submit to treatment, however, Mr. Edison oppose an emphatic negative. "What I'm a'raid of," said he, "is that you would be successful. Just think what a lot of stuff I'd have to listen to that I don't want to hear! To be a little deaf and be the only one who knows just how deaf you are has its advantages, and on the whole I think I prefer to let well enough think I pres

Illinois Central Takes a Large Crowd to Chicago.

Over the New Caire Division

of the Road.

The Illinois Central ran its annual day was a double-barreled disappoint. excursion this morning to Chicago. the inability of the te ighted due in Chicago tonight at 8:30 o'clock. The number of tickets sold was about 375, 330 being sold at the union depot and 35 or 40 at the freight depot at

Among those who left were: Messrs.

Sam Edwards and wife, J. E. Wolff

and wife, H. G. Harmeling and family, Joe Hughes, George Oliver, J. H. Sullivan, Earl Joynes, Horace Sowell, A. B. Sowell, Dr. Lillard Sanders, and wife, C. 4. Van Meter and wife,

Epstein, H. A. Petter and wife and daughter, Mike Michael and wife, Isadore Klein, Maurice and Roy Smith, Steve Etter, C. N. Baker, David Flournoy, Willie Parham, Chris Liebel and wife, W. Y. Griffith, John Iseman and wife, B. T. Davis, wife St. Louis, August 18-A well and daughter, George L. Jones and and wife. Mesdames Gus Edwards, P.H. Stewart, A. L. Joynes, James A. Foster, L. E Adams, John George, C. G. Morris, Sam Goodman, A. Surgis John Dorian, Bethshares, H. O. Bronaugh, Fred Rudy, Pat Lally, Rose Petter and daughter Jeanette, J. M. Worton, Al Bishop, Robert Connor, Charles Morris, A. List, Elmus Car ter. R. Burgaur, W.H. Bowman, Martin Smith, Carrie Warren Girardev. Lettie Farrar, W. B. Mather, A. P. Kelly, F. J. Frazer, Abe Marcoffsky, Mr. Charles Leigh, Miss Gertie Griffin, Cornelia Johnson, Pauline Roth, Mattie and Lou Boyd, of Mayfield : Kathleen Whitefield, Birdie Woolfolk, Annie Settle, Hattie Settle, Beulah Rogers, Olga List, Augusta Theiring, Fannie Whitlock, May Moshell, Lena

> A number of people got left on the regular train this morning, and General Agent J. T. Donovan kindly allowed them to leave at 1 o'clock over the St. Louis division via Carbondale. There was quite a number of these.

Harris, Louise Kirchoff, Lillie Smith,

Sweetie Brown, Annie and Myra

Janes, Ruby Rouse, Zula Cobbs, Mat-

tie and Daisy Compton, Laura Comp-

Mr. W. T. Dineen, special agent for the I. C. and Mr. J. McCumsey, a Chicago I. C. detective, were in the city this morning looking out for the excursionists. Both were on the train and will see that everything goes smoothly. Mr. McCumsey is quite a noted detective and knows every crook nearly in the country. He speaks very highly of Mr. Dineen, who has done excellent work for the I. C. since he was made special agent on the Louisville division.

The gross earnings of 37 roads for the first week of August were \$7,533, 042, against \$6,755,173 for the first week of August, 1902, an increase of \$777,869. Thirty-three roads show increases and four deceases. Since July 1 the roads referred to above earned \$40,812,720, an increase of \$4,487. 648 over the \$36,825,072 reported for the corresponding period last year. For the longer period 23 roads show increases and five decreases.

> he Illinois Central is building 16 switch tracks at Mounds and tory of the United States. The read pletien of the road in 1855.

FREE TRIPS TO ST. LOUIS WORLD'S FAIR. ALL EXPENSES OF THE 120 MOST POPULAR SCHOOL TEACHERS IN THE STATE PAID.



School children and public generally invited to vote to determine the most popular in every county. Votes ten cents each, ten cast at one every county. Votes ten its each, ten cast at one ite. All money over and ove trip expenses of teach-to go into erection of the ntucky Building at the Ex-sition. Every voter thus ren the satisfaction of owing a worthy cause and Kentucky Building at the Exposition. Every voter thus given the satisfaction of knowing a worthy cause and important object have been sided, at the same time a favorite teacher has received recognition. Contest conducted under auspices of Educational Exhibit Committee of Kentucky Exhibit. Association, the organization formed to raise \$100,000 for a Kentucky Building and full display of the State's products and resources at the Fair, the Legislature having falled to make an appropriation. Every educator in the State, whether teacher in public or private schools, or

ember of faculty of academy, college or university, medical, dental or theological institution, otestant or catholic denominational school, is eligible to election. Members of the Educational thibit Committee alone excepted. protestant or catholic denominational school, is eligible to election. Members of the Educational Exhibit Committee alone excepted.

Names of all school children voting to be enrolled in the Kentucky Building at the ExpoNames of all school children voting to be enrolled in the Kentucky Building at the ExpoNames of Education. The Exposition is to be the greatest international event in the world's hisPalace of Education. The Exposition is to be the greatest international event in the world's hisPalace of Education. The Exposition is to be the greatest international event in the world's hisPalace of Education. The Exposition is to be the greatest international event in the world's hisPalace of Education. The Exposition is to be the greatest international event in the world's hisPalace of Education. The Exposition is to be the greatest international event in the world's hisPalace of Education. The Exposition is to be the greatest international event in the world's hisPalace of Education. The Exposition is to be the greatest international event in the world's hisPalace of Education. The Exposition is to be the greatest international event in the world's hisPalace of Education. The Exposition is to be the greatest international event in the world's hisPalace of Education. The Exposition is to be the greatest international event in the world's hisPalace of Education. The Exposition is to be the greatest international event in the world's hisPalace of Education. The Exposition is to be the greatest international event in the world's hisPalace of Education. The Exposition is to be the greatest international event in the world's hisPalace of Education in the Exposition is to be the greatest international event in the world's hisPalace of Education in the Exposition is to be the greatest international event in the Exposition is to be the greatest international event in the Exposition is the Exposition in the Exposition is the Exposition in the Exposition is the Exposition in the Expositio

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Atten cents each every school child in the State will be able to each at least one vota for his her favorite teacher. But the voting will not be somewell be abled to school children.

PARRYS OF PUPILS OR ANY OF THERE WHENES MAY YOTE. The purpose of the Associon being to elect the most popular sensed a schering che cautily, as so considered by the public nerally, as well as by the school carbinen. Bullots cantain ten spaces, so clubs all ten pupils by be atranged and cach giving ten cents be creatived with his or her vote. If one person dees to east ten votes, it may be done by writing his or her name on o cut the spaces and remiting one dollar. It is not required that the state of the person votes, here, the last of the name of the person votes have, the arroll in the naturely Building at St. Louis next year the name of every child a so cast one or more votes in recontest. Pupils are asked therefore to sign their manes plainly to the ballots.

ALL TEACHERS IN THE STATE STAND ON AN LOUAL FOOTING in this contest. eacher with only twenty pupils may receive more cores than the teacher with five or six times a many enrolled in his or her school, because the voting is not confined to children. The public fill be an important factor.

ANY NUMBER OF BALLOTS MAY BE CAST AT ONE TIME. There is no limit. The more dol-ANI NUMBER OF BALLETS MAY BE CAST STONE TIME. There is no limit. The more dollarssent in for any one teacher the more you is he or she will be credited with

ONE DOLLARS CASTS TEN VOTES; TWO BOLLARS CASTS TWENTY VOTES: THREE

DOLLARS CASTS THIETY VOTES; TO BE LARS CASTS FORTY VOTES; FIVE BOLLARS

CASTS FIFTY VOTES; TEN BOLLARS CASTS A HUNDRED VOTES; ONE HUNDRED DOL.

LARS CASTS ONE THOUSAND VOTES.

All of the money received in this contest, over and above that used in defraying expenses of
the 120 most popular teachers of the State on their ligs to the World's Fair, will go for the erection of a Kentucky Building at the expect on; so every voter in this contest may have the additional satisfaction of knowing that he has added a worthy cause.

S CONTEST.

REMEMBER EVERY COUNTY ELECTS ITS OWN FAVORITE TEACHER. Competition etween counties only applies to the race for the 12th trip, the county, outside of Jefferson, casting the largest total number of votes being granted the distinction of sending two teachers.

The result will be announced in every paper in the state, and, in addition to this, a congratulatory message will go to the teacher elected in each county. Later the details of the trip will be arranged, each tracher chosen being given the privilege of selecting the month-june, July or August, 1934—in which he or she wants to make the trip.

CLIP OUT THIS BALLOT, FILL UP BLANKS AND MAIL WITH \$1.

\_cast TEN votes for 79-C as the most popular teacher in county. ONE DOLLAR ENCLOSED. 10c. AND OF RESIDER WIMARN SOLVE 10c 10c.

Voters are not required to sign their names, but the Association wants all school children voting to do so, as it will enroll them in the Kentucky Building.

Voters have the option of sending ballots direct to the Secretary of the Association or to the paper from which clipped.

Additional ballots may be obtained by getting extra copies of this pape,
Remittances may be made by certified check, registered letter, I cent postage, express or sestal money order, or in currency at sender's risk. Address all communications to B. E. HUGGES. Secretary, Louisville, Ky.

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the cost will be about \$98,000. Grad- ing matter is in English and Spanish. ing for two pass tracks lacking only a little of one mile in length, is being done at Anna and Makanda. The track is being doubled from East St. Louis to Carbondale, and other improvements all along the line are being

The Illinois Central has issued an engineer. elaborate folder on the Louisiana Purchase exposition, illustrated with halftone engravings with maps, showing the historical expansion of the terri-

Mr. John Trent, of the general storekeepers department of the Illinois Central at Burnisdes Ill., is in the city on a visit. His former home was

Mr. C. F. Wagner, a fireman on the Illinois Central, has been promoted to

The Illinois Central railway has paid to the state in taxes under its charter, which calls for 7 per cent, of gross receipts, \$20,589,166 since